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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 CALVIN RUSH, et al.,

12 Plaintiffs,

13 v.

14 CITY OF FAIRFIELD, et al.,

15 Defendants.
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No. 2:21-cv-1120-WBS-KJN

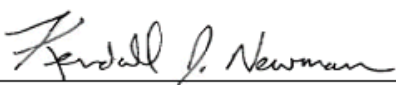
ORDER GRANTING IFP REQUEST

(ECF No. 2.)

17 Plaintiffs requested leave to proceed in forma pauperis (“IFP”), and the motion was
18 referred to the undersigned by the assigned district judge. (ECF Nos. 2, 3.) Title 28 U.S.C.
19 Section 1915 authorizes the commencement of an action “without prepayment of fees or security”
20 by a person that is unable to pay such fees. Plaintiffs’ affidavits make the required showing, and
21 so their request to proceed IFP is GRANTED. See, e.g., Ketschau v. Byrne, 2019 WL 5266889,
22 *1 (W.D. Wash. Oct. 17, 2019) (“A person is eligible if they are unable to pay the costs of filing
23 and still provide the necessities of life . . . This generally includes incarcerated individuals with
24 no assets and persons who are unemployed and dependent on government assistance.”). This
25 matter is referred back to the assigned district judge.

26 Dated: June 25, 2021

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KENDALL J. NEWMAN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE